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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Patent Application of:

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For: CARRYING STRAP FOR NOTEBOOK COMPUTER

ASSIGNEE NAME: International Business Machines Corporation

ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE: Armonk, New York

Enclosed are:

7 Pages of Specification and 1 Abstract

Sheets of Drawings

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An Assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504 and Recordation form PTO-1595

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